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In re Patent Application of:
Gerard Mourou et al.

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For: METHOD FOR CONTROLLING
CONFIGURATION OF LASER INDUCED
BREAKDOWN AND ABLATION

Examiner: G. S. Evans

**AMENDMENT/REPLY ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR CONTINUED
EXAMINATION**

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated August 6, 2007, finally rejecting claims 46-67, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.